

**Repair of National Highway No. 27.**

5878. SHRI BHEEM SINGH PATEL: Will the Minister of SURFACE TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Chakdhat to Mangavan section of National Highway No. 27 is not in a traffic worthy condition; and

(b) if so, the steps taken by the Union Government to repair this section of the road?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY SURFACE TRANSPORT (SHRI JAGDISH TYTLER): (a) and (b): No, Sir. The stretch of National Highway No. 27 from Chakghat to Mangavan is in traffic worthy condition. Maintenance/repair of National Highways is a continuous process and maintenance/repair works are being undertaken on this road also from time to time within the resources available.

[English]

**Purchase of Auto Components by Japanese Automobile Companies.**

7879. SHRI GOPI NATH GAJAPATHI: Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Japanese automobile companies are willing to buy auto components from India;

(b) if so, the details of the proposals submitted by the Japanese companies to the Government in this regard; and

(c) the steps taken by the Government to supply auto components to those companies?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE (SHRI P. CHIDAMBARAM): (a) to (c): Some Japanese Companies are understood to have shown interest in importing auto components from India during discussions with a delegation of Automotive Component Manufacturers Association of India which visited Japan in February, 1992. However, the Government has not received any proposals from Japanese companies for import of auto components from India. During discussions of India - Japan Business Cooperation Committees, the Japanese side was, however, urged to consider India as a part of their global strategy and source their requirement from India.

[Translation]

**Functioning of Banks in U.P.**

5880. DR. LAL BAHADUR RAWAL: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the functioning of regional rural banks and nationalised banks in Uttar Pradesh, specially in Aligarh and Bijnaur districts is not satisfactory;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor; and

(c) the steps taken or proposed to be taken by the Government in regard thereto?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI DALBIR SINGH): (a) to (c). Reserve Bank of India has reported that the aggregate deposits and outstanding bank credit and credit deposit ratio of all scheduled commercial banks in Aligarh and Bijnaur districts, for the States of Uttar Pradesh as a whole and all-India figures as on 31st March, 1991 are as under:-